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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time within which to respond further to the Notice of Appeal filed on May 21, 2001, received by the USPTO on May 24, 2001, such extension allowing the undersigned until August 24, 2001, to respond.

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